IT'S A SPECIAL OCCA-SION.
YOUR BIRTHDAY IS THIS MONTH, ISN'T IT?
A DOM PÉRIGNON ROSÉ?! YOU SURE 'BOUT THIS, CHOCO-KO?
THE CHAM-PAGNE CALL! LET'S DO IT!!
BE-SIDES,
EVEN THE ASSISTING HOSTS HERE ARE GOOD, SO I MIGHT AS WELL DROP SOME COIN...
RIGHT?
AH!
OKAY!
ALL HOSTS, GATHER UP!

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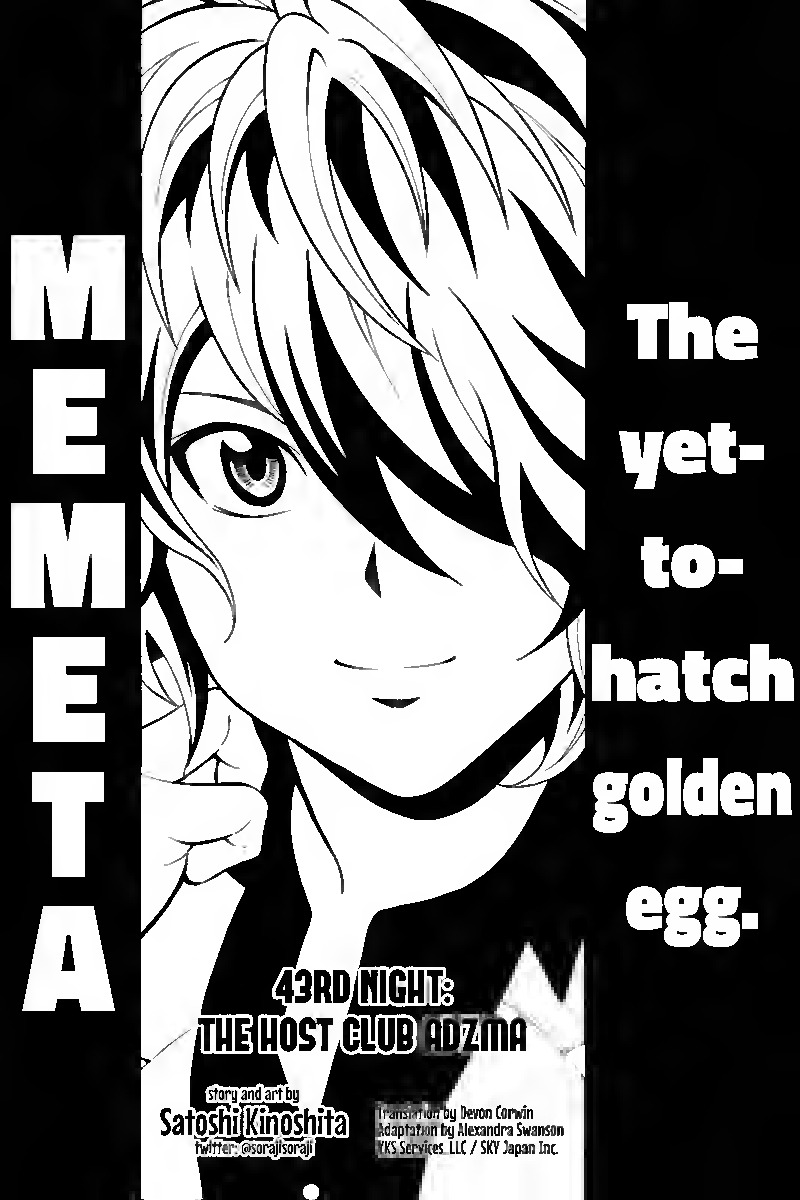
MEMETA
The yet-to-hatch golden egg.
43RD NIGHT:
THE HOST CLUB ADZMA
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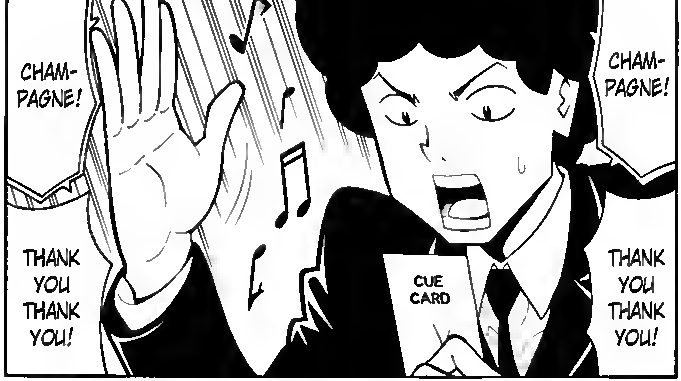
HERE WE GO!
BA- BA- BA- BA- BAM
THANK YOU!
THANK YOU!
THANK YOU!
VERY MUCH!
VERY MUCH!
THANK YOU!
VERY MUCH!
VERY MUCH!


CHAM-
PAGNE!
CHAM-
PAGNE!
THANK
YOU
THANK
YOU!
CUE
CARD
THANK
YOU
THANK
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THE
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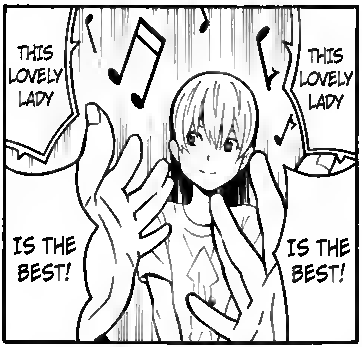
THIS
LOVELY
LADY
THIS
LOVELY
LADY
IS THE
BEST!
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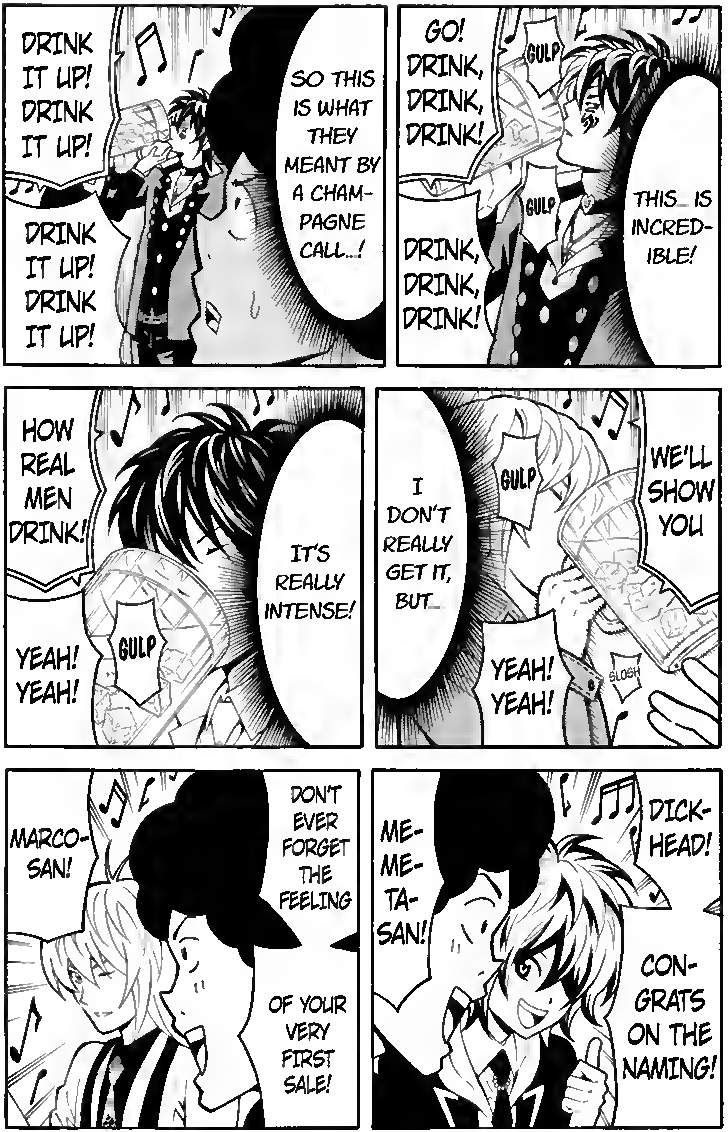
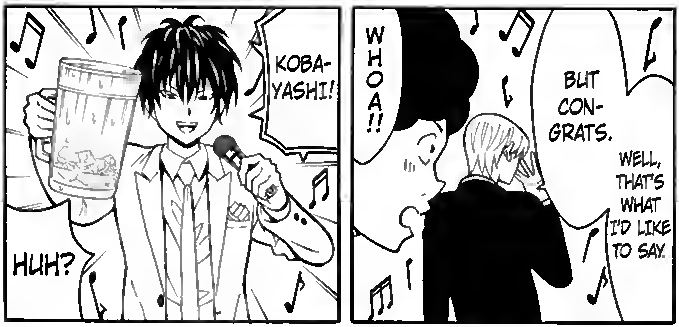
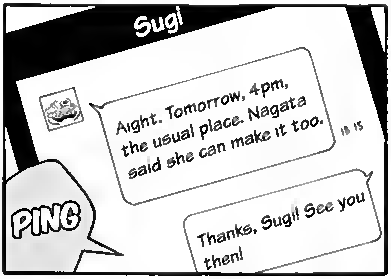
YE!
AH!
pop!
TO-
NIGHT,
ADZMA,
LET'S
DRINK
UP!

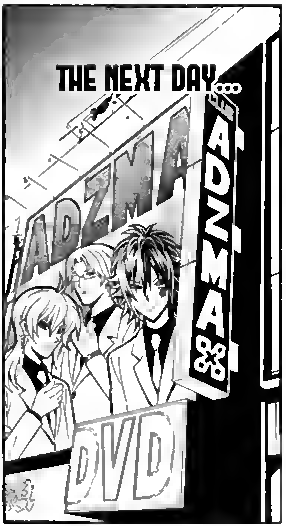

DRINK IT UP! DRINK IT UP!
SO THIS IS WHAT THEY MEANT BY A CHAMPAGNE CALL...!
DRINK IT UP! DRINK IT UP!
GO! DRINK, DRINK, DRINK!
GULP
GULP
THIS_ IS INCREDIBLE!
DRINK, DRINK, DRINK!
HOW REAL MEN DRINK!
IT'S REALLY INTENSE!
YEAH! YEAH!
GULP
I DON'T REALLY GET IT, BUT_
GULP
WE'LL SHOW YOU
YEAH! YEAH!
GLOSH
MARCO-SAN!
DON'T EVER FORGET THE FEELING
OF YOUR VERY FIRST SALE!
ME-ME-TA-SAN!
DICK-HEAD!
CON-GRATS ON THE NAMING!

YOU'D BETTER QUIT WHILE YOU'RE AHEAD,
YOU DAMN ASSISTING HOST TO CHOCO-KO!
NO WAY!
I'M JUST GETTING STARTED!


KOBA-YASHI!
HUH?
WHOA!!
BUT CON-GRATS.
WELL, THAT'S WHAT I'D LIKE TO SAY.

SHOVE
WHAAAT?!
LAST BUT NOT LEAST, YOU DRINK THE REST!

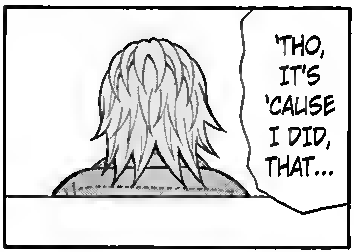

Sugi
Aight. Tomorrow, 4pm, the usual place. Nagata said she can make it too.
PING
Thanks, Sugi! See you then!

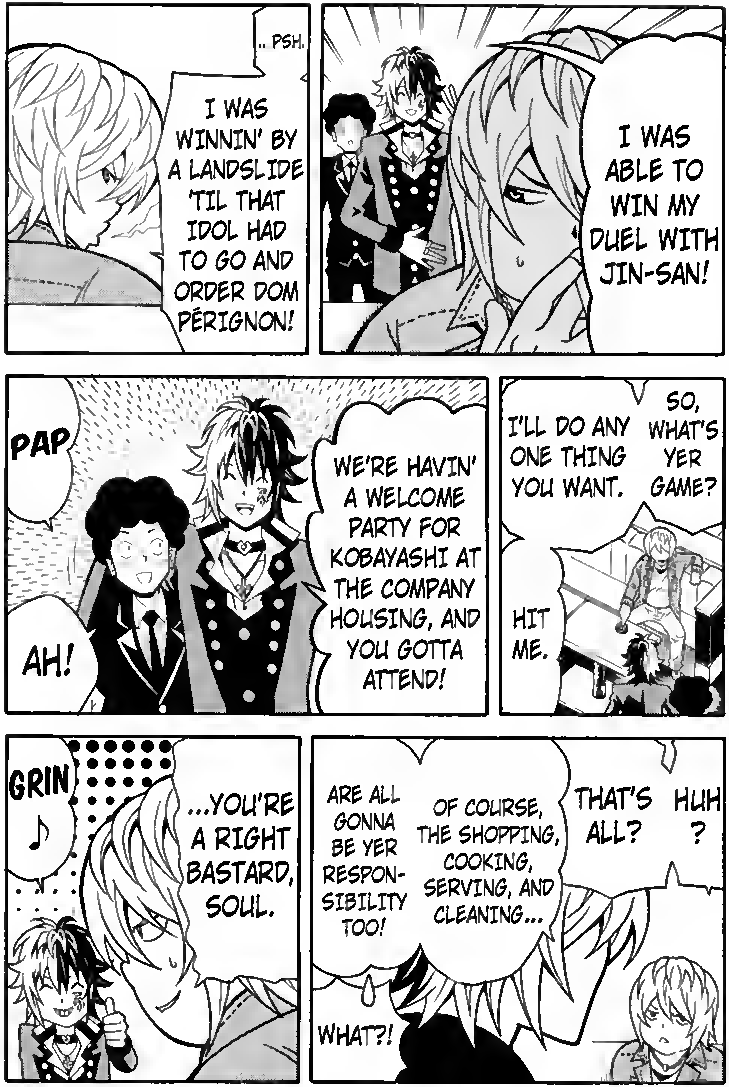

THE NEXT DAY...
ADZMA
DVD

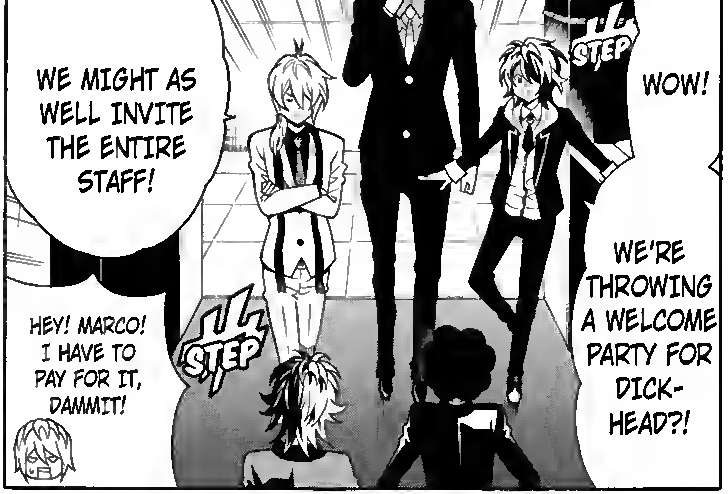
FLUSH
TOILET
... OKAY!

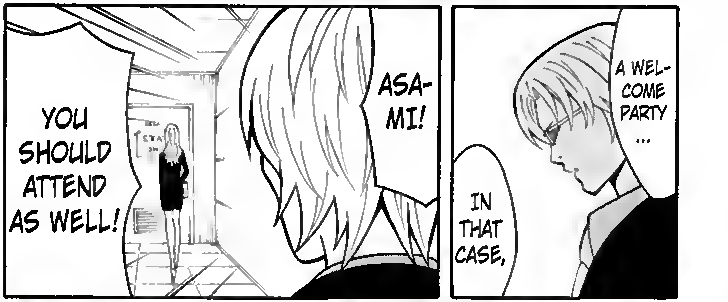
I DRANK WAAAAY TOO MUCH LAST NIGHT...

SHUT
BLEH... I FEEL SICK...
SOUL-SAN, ARE YOU OKAY?!


'THO, IT'S 'CAUSE I DID, THAT...

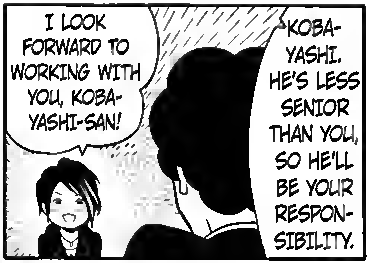

I WAS ABLE TO WIN MY DUEL WITH JIN-SAN!
.. PSH.
I WAS WINNIN' BY A LANDSLIDE 'TIL THAT IDOL HAD TO GO AND ORDER DOM PÉRIGNON!
WE'RE HAVIN' A WELCOME PARTY FOR KOBAYASHI AT THE COMPANY HOUSING, AND YOU GOTTA ATTEND!
PAP
AH!
SO, WHAT'S YER GAME?
I'LL DO ANY ONE THING YOU WANT.
HIT ME.
...YOU'RE A RIGHT BASTARD, SOUL.
GRIN
♪
THAT'S ALL?
HUH?
OF COURSE, THE SHOPPING, COOKING, SERVING, AND CLEANING...
ARE ALL GONNA BE YER RESPONSIBILITY TOO!
WHAT?!

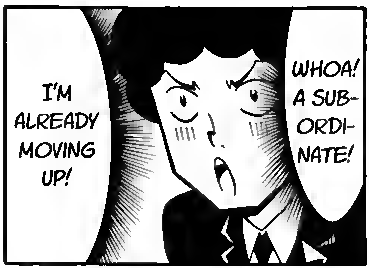

WOW!
STEP
WE'RE THROWING A WELCOME PARTY FOR DICK-HEAD?!
WE MIGHT AS WELL INVITE THE ENTIRE STAFF!
STEP
HEY! MARCO! I HAVE TO PAY FOR IT, DAMMIT!


A WELCOME PARTY ...
IN THAT CASE,
ASA-MI!
YOU SHOULD ATTEND AS WELL!

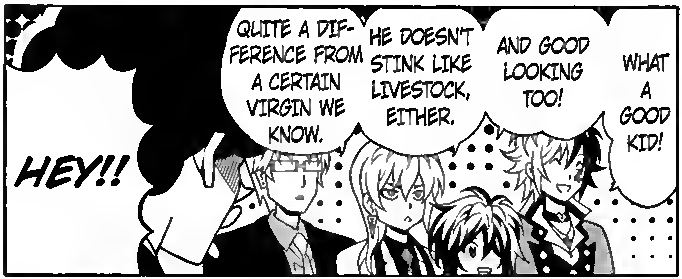
BAM
LISTEN TO YOUR OLDER BROTHER FOR ONCE!

SLAM
BAM
FINE! BUT IF I GO, YOU'D BETTER NOT!
MR. PRESI-DENT!
OH!
STEP
AND WITH A BROTHER LIKE THAT, NO WONDER THEY DON'T GET ALONG.
YEP.
...SO THEY'RE SIBLINGS, HUH?
I WAS WONDERING WHAT WAS UP WITH THEM YESTERDAY...
PLEASE PRESS HIS BUTTON!
LET'S GET THE MEETING UNDERWAY SHALL WE?


I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH YOU, KOBAYASHI-SAN!
KOBAYASHI. HE'S LESS SENIOR THAN YOU, SO HE'LL BE YOUR RESPONSIBILITY.


I'M ALREADY MOVING UP!
WHOA! A SUBORDINATE!

...AND THIS IS YUJI-KUN. HE'LL BE WORKING PART TIME, STARTING TODAY.


HEY!!
QUITE A DIFFERENCE FROM A CERTAIN VIRGIN WE KNOW.
HE DOESN'T STINK LIKE LIVESTOCK, EITHER.
AND GOOD LOOKING TOO!
WHAT A GOOD KID!

SWING
SO, LET'S HAVE A LIVELY AND FUN WORK DAY TODAY AS WELL!

BAM
WEL-
COME
TO CLUB
ADZMA!
~The End~
LET'S MEET AGAIN IN
KINOSHITA-SENSEI'S NEXT WORK!!